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New Civic Building Dedication Plans

Final plans for the dedication of the new Pahokee Civic Building were announced at a meeting of the executive board of the Pahokee Chamber of Commerce Monday night. The dedication ceremony will start at 2:30 p. m., Sunday, April 7 with an opening number by the Pahokee High School Band under the direction of Bandmaster Robert O. Lampi. The dedicatory address will be delivered by Judge Russell O. Morrow of West Palm Beach. Following the dedication there will be an open house in the chamber office and the public library which are now located in the Civic Building. Refreshments will be served by members of the Pahokee Business and Professional Woman's Club.

The board also made plans for the annual membership drive. Notice of membership dues, together with the new Pahokee brochure and a report of activities during the past year, will be mailed to each member this week. Those who do not pay their dues by mail will be contacted by workers, this phase of the membership drive to start on April 15 with a kickoff breakfast for the workers who will be under the direction of Louis Gold, membership chairman.

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William S. Plumer Is Exalted Ruler

William S. Plumer, manager of Glades Chemical Co., was elected exalted ruler of Pahokee BPOE Lodge 1638 at the annual election of officers held in the Elks Hall on East Main St.

Other new officers elected were John C. Hutton, esteemed leading knight; J. S. Barwick, esteemed loyal knight; William Weathers, esteemed lecturing knight; E. A. Jensen, secretary; Charles H. Ricke, treasurer; Gil Gabaldon, tiler; and George H. Tucker, Jr., retiring exalted ruler, who was elected a trustee with a five-year term of office and alternate delegate to the Grand Lodge.

The installation of the newly elected officers will take place April 4.

Kledzik Talks To Pahokee Lions

Raymond L. Kledzik, administrator of the Everglades Memorial Hospital was a guest at the dinner meeting of the Canal Point Lions Club this week. In an informal question and answer session Mr. Kledzik answered questions of club members relating to the operation of the hospital.

It was announced the list of candidates for the annual election of new officers will be completed at next week's meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Tillman of Canal Point were honored on their 25th wedding anniversary at a dinner party and family reunion given by their daughters Mrs. Buford Justice and Mrs. Jack Bush at Mrs. Justice's home.

Star Workers Are Honored

Past matrons and past patrons of the Pahokee Chapter, Order of Eastern Star honored at the chapter meeting in the Masonic Hall on Thursday night of last week were Mrs. Gladys Harrington, Mrs. Hulda Wilson, Mrs. Etta Mase Friend, Mrs. Edna Barrett, Mrs. Jenny McKinstry, Mrs. Ruth Carpenter and Mrs. Mabel Young, past matrons, and Perry Hall, past patron. Mrs. Judy Sapp was in charge of the program. Mrs. Rachel Harrington, worthy matron, and H. D. Rodgers worthy patron, presided.

Pioneer Passes; Mother O. R. Bleech

Mrs. Jessie Roode Bleech, 90, mother of O. R. Bleech, of Pahokee, was among the pioneers who settled the mid-western states and came to Florida while it was still in its pioneering stage.

Mrs. Bleech, who recently died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Colvin Parker, in Jacksonville, went as a child from Kansas to Nebraska in a covered wagon train. Later in 1872 she helped observe the first Arbor Day, which was first celebrated in Nebraska. It was the idea of Julius Sterling Morton, secretary of agriculture under President Cleveland.

She came with her husband, a builder, to Florida in 1909 when this state was mostly an agricultural section, with only a few small towns.

She was a builder too—but she dealt with lives. She served as a public school teacher, kindergarten teacher and Sunday School teacher. There is a department in the Ortega Methodist Church in Jacksonville named for Mrs. Bleech because of her faithful work with the children there.

She was the mother of 4 children and was an active Red Cross worker. She usually spent 2 or 3 months out of the year with her son and family in Pahokee.

Sugar Season To End Next Monday

U. S. Sugar Corporation field workers will bring the cane harvesting season to a close on Monday of next week—April 8—in the western division of the organization's operations. Cane cutting was started on Nov. 8 last fall and next Monday's close down will bring an end to one of the shortest seasons on record for the sugar producing concern.

Rev. Stewart New Canal Pt. Pastor

Rev. and Mrs. Charles D. Stewart of Sylvania, Ga., arrived in Canal Point Wednesday where he will become pastor of the Canal Point Baptist church. The local church has been without a pastor since Rev. Joe Clements resigned and moved to Fort Lauderdale several months ago. Rev. Stewart was an associational missionary while living in Sylvania.

PTA Elects Mrs. Harrington Pres.

Mrs. A. R. Harrington was elected new president of the Canal Point Parent-Teacher Association at the annual election of officers held in the school auditorium Monday night with W. E. Johnson, retiring president, presiding.

Other new officers elected for the 1957-58 school year were Mrs. Perry Hall, first vice president; Mrs. Osceola Uphegrove, second vice president; Mrs. J. P. Parker, secretary; Mrs. C. H. Chastain, treasurer; and Mrs. E. F. Holten, historian. The new officers will be installed May 6.

Two study courses for Canal Point and Pahokee PTA members were announced by Mrs. Leonard Maxson, study group chairman. The first course, entitled "Where Children Come First," was started this week by Principal Carl Crawford at the Canal Point School and will last through April 8, with one-hour study classes being held in the school auditorium from 9:30 to 10:30 a. m., Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Monday. The second study course, relating to the PTA manual, will be held in the Community Building at Canal Point Thursday, April 11, from 10 a. m. until 2:30 p. m. with a potluck luncheon at noon. Mrs. John A. Dulaney, past president of the Pahokee PTA, presided.

Vegetables Bring Fairly Good Prices

Moderately high price prevailed on the local vegetable market this week, according to advices emanating from the packing houses and vegetable brokers. However, along toward the end of the week it looked like the high prices would tumble and again the farmers would be wondering if their commodity would bring harvesting costs.

Pole beans this week sold for as high as \$5.95 per hamper while string beans of the Wade variety brought \$3.90 per bushel. Corn was holding fairly firm at \$3.25 and celery was being sold around the \$2.25-\$2.50 mark. Pepper boomed on Monday and Tuesday of this week with the very finest varieties bringing \$9.00 per bushel on the local market.

New Beauty Shop Open Canal Point

Miss Mary Ellen Sims opened a new beauty parlor in the Rardin Building in Canal Point next door to the post office on Tuesday of this week. Miss Sims' new place is beautifully equipped with the most modern beauty treatment equipment. She extends a cordial invitation to her friends to visit her in her new location.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Padgett and children, Nancy and Gordon, of Hamilton, Ohio, have arrived in Pahokee for a visit with his mother, Mrs. Charles Moran and other relatives.

Mrs. C. C. Cruthird is a patient at St. Mary's Hospital in West Palm Beach this week.

Get Permission Build Rest Rooms

Mayor Dick Parrish said this week that permission has been received from the U. S. Engineers to erect a 12x28 building to house rest room facilities on the dike just south of the city hall. The facility will be erected on the land side, the mayor pointed out and permission was also received to extend the water line to the new building. Erection of the new building and equipping it will overcome objections of the State and County Health Department, it was said.

Funeral Services For Mrs. Brandon

Funeral services for Mrs. Eva Idella Brandon, 97, Canal Point pioneer and oldest resident, will be held this Friday morning at 10 a. m. at the Canal Point Methodist Church, with the Rev. L. A. Sparks, pastor, officiating.

Mrs. Brandon died around noon Wednesday at the Everglades Memorial Hospital where she had been a patient since March 21, when she fell at her home and fractured a hip.

Born in Afton, Iowa, she was a pioneer resident of Kansas for many years before moving to Fort Lauderdale in 1911 and in 1921 she and her husband, the late W. L. Brandon, moved to Canal Point when the Glades was still a wilderness. Although living to an advanced age, "Grandma" Brandon, as she was known to her friends and relatives, was alert and active up to her last days and before her accident could be seen almost daily working among her flowers and shrubs. She was a member of the Presbyterian Church of Clyde, Kans.

Survivors include one son, W. S. Brandon, West Palm Beach; one daughter, Mrs. Mildred Baker, Canal Point; two grandchildren, six great grandchildren and eight great, great grandchildren.

Burial was at the Woodlawn Cemetery, West Palm Beach.

Art Exhibit At PTA Meet April 15

The April meeting of the Pahokee Parent-Teacher Association, scheduled for Monday night, has been postponed one week in order to have more time to prepare for the public art exhibit that will be held at the school in conjunction with the meeting, according to Mrs. Elsworth Keen, president. The meeting will be held Monday, April 15, at 8 p. m. and the art exhibit will be viewed in the school corridors and library immediately following the business session. Adults are invited to display their works of art, including paintings, sketches, needlework, flower arrangements and the like, in this public exhibit and those willing to cooperate are asked to contact Mrs. T. L. Sellers, Mrs. Elsworth Keen or Marvin Thompson.

Bill Easterly was accompanied to LaBelle last weekend by his father-in-law, Mr. Cason, who returned to his home there after spending several days visiting the Easterlys in Pahokee.

As Usual, PHS Band Is Rated Superior

The Pahokee High School Band under the direction of Bandmaster Robert O. Lampi playing superior ratings in concert playing, sight reading and marching, all three categories in the annual District One Band Contest held at the school Friday afternoon. These first place ratings make the PHS eligible to participate in the State Band Contest at West Palm Beach, May 2-4.

Fred Blakey, student conductor, was also awarded a superior rating in directing the 48-piece band as it played "Merry Widow elections" by Lehár-Yoder. Judges were Manley Whitcomb, director of bands, Florida State University; Reid Poole, assistant director of bands, University of Florida; and Robert T. Scott, director of bands, Jefferson High School, Tampa.

At the recent District One contest held at the school for soloists and ensembles superior ratings were awarded to Fred Blakey, baritone horn solo; Glenda Faye Russum, piano solo; Lory Ann Rockwell, baton twirling solo, and Nancy Thomas and Cindy Friend, baton twirling duet. Excellent ratings were received by James Stamps, trombone solo, and Glenda Faye Russum, baton twirling solo. Eric Berg of Lakeland was the contest judge.

Cancer Fund Drive Started Locally

The cancer fund drive in Canal Point and Pahokee is underway with Mrs. Ruby Tucker acting as chairman in Canal Point and Leonard Dobrow serving in the same capacity in Pahokee.

In making your donation just make out your check to "CANCER" and hand or mail to either of the chairmen. D. L. Hooks at Hooks grocery in Canal Point said that checks could be left at his store to be turned over to Mrs. Tucker. Canal Point's quota is \$800.

American Indian Cub Pack Topic

"The American Indian" was the program theme at the March meeting of Pahokee Cub Pack 23 held in the social hall of the Elks Club with Cubmaster Mike Sanders presiding.

On display at the meeting were tomahawks, drums, totem poles and similar Indian Craft made by the Cubs during the past month. Members of Den II, dressed as Indian warriors, did a war dance around a simulated campfire.

Wolf badge awards were received by Skippy Lanham, Barry Wolfe, Mike Soward, Joe Erby Thompson, Jimmy Tucker, Leon Mills, Jimmy Wagner, James Woods, Laverte Johnson, Tommy Collier and Jimmy Holman. A bear badge was received by Mike Mills.

A gold arrow was awarded to Skippy Lanham, Mike Mills, Randy Gerold, Jimmy Tyson, Joe Hutton III and Franklin Branch and a silver arrow to Keith Aldridge.

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Here Is What Transpired At Monday's Meeting Of The Palm Beach County Commission

A survey to check county ownership of right of way on Okeechobee Road — access from the Palm Beaches to the turnpike — was ordered this week by the county commission.

Commissioner Lake Lytal, head of a county roads committee, said the board is studying the possibility of widening Okeechobee Road inside West Palm Beach to prevent traffic bottlenecks coming from the turnpike.

Importance of four laning the highway—the road has already been four-laned from the turnpike to the city limits—was stressed by Commission Chairman Kenneth Foster who declared "the project has to be done." He added, that a month ago some 1700 cars daily were leaving the turnpike at the West Palm Beach interchange and by next season the number would be substantially larger.

Since Okeechobee Road at the present time is not part of the state highway system, Lytal said, the work will have to be financed with other than state funds.

In reporting on a conference held last week with State Road Department officials, Foster said top projects in the coming budget will be widening of U. S. Highway one between Delray Beach and Boynton Beach; improvement of State Road A1A north from Lake

Park and relocation of U. S. 27 in the Glades.

The board also voted to write the state legislative delegation that when definition of state roads are adopted in the new state road code, that Okeechobee Road, Lake Worth West Road and Delray Beach West Road be classed as state roads. The three roads were taken from the state system under the present road code, although prior to that time had been classed as part of the state road system.

The high cost of right of way in Palm Beach County is threatening continuation of a program of building new roads, the county commission said this week.

The cost of right of way in many instances, according to Commissioner Lake Lytal, is greater than cost of building the road.

The board seeking to remove high costs of right of way, voted to ask the county legislative delegation to push for a new state act which would allow assessment of benefits as well as assessment of damages in cases where right of way has to be purchased. Similar acts have already been passed in many states, said Chairman Kenneth Foster, and they are saving taxpayers millions of dollars every year.

Under the present system of land condemnation, appraisers set

a price on needed land taking only appraisers take into consideration. The new act would also have appraisers take into consideration the benefits that would accrue to a business. With benefits weighed against damage, price of right of way would not be so expensive, the commission explained.

Foster urged the commission to go on record as favoring such a bill and invited all other boards and political groups as well as individual taxpayers to take similar stands and to so inform the county legislators.

In another action concerning state legislation, the commission after hearing a report from Lytal, a member of the State Advisory Committee, voted to adopt a resolution calling for a special election in Palm Beach County to give county employees an opportunity to vote on joining the social security system. The advisory group, Lytal said, favors county employees taking part in social security if it doesn't interfere with present pension plans now in effect.

Cinematic Chatter

By Malcolm Millar

Hello everybody! Let's talk about a gal that, in my humble opinion, is the cleverest young woman in filmdom. In the Hollywood acting hierarchy, the big-name star stands at the top of the heap, and the character actor occupies a niche considerably lower down. This is an inalienable distinction as exists in a town where caste plays an important part — and that's why Eleanor Parker's forthright declaration of her status is so remarkable. Miss Parker is a three-time nominee for the Academy Award. "I am," says Miss Parker, herself a big-name star, "primarily a character actress."

Eleanor admits that her penchant for solid "character roles", rather than "Personality vehicles", is not commercially sound. Continues Miss Parker, "Audiences buy personalities they enjoy, and the actors and actresses who are great personalities reap the richest rewards in Hollywood, whether they exert themselves in giving a performance or not. And don't mistake me—many of them can do a bang-up acting job when they're required to". So Eleanor chooses her roles for richness of content, and coldly passes up parts which

are devoid of challenge and opportunity for creating character. See you at the movies—Mal.

Mrs. Guthrie Has 72nd Birthday

Mrs. I. S. Guthrie celebrated her 72nd birthday anniversary Sunday at a dinner party at her home on Bacom Point Road. Among those attending were Mr. and Mrs. William Guthrie and daughters of Miami, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Guthrie and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Thompson.

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PERSONAL NEWS NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Heath, who have been house guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Anderson since Jan. 19, left Tuesday, accompanying their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Heath, back to their home at Stockton Springs, Me.

Miss Margaret Lynn Shirley of Fort Lauderdale spent the weekend in Pahokee visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Shirley.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Pugh and children, Minton, Gene, Jerry and Loretta, formerly of Moultrie, Ga., have moved into the A. M. Pugh residence at Canal Point where they are now making their home.

Mrs. J. E. Williams and daughter, Velma, accompanied by Mrs. C. L. Stuart, have returned from a visit with relatives in Alabama.

Mr. and Mrs. Dufranc Padgett are visiting their son and daughter-in-law, the Rev. and Mrs. Donald Padgett and family, at Chiefland, Fla.

Mrs. C. C. Lemonds of Pahokee and North Carolina will serve as a delegate from the Fifth District of Garden Clubs in North Carolina at the National Council of Garden Clubs in Miami, April 5-6.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fredricks and family, formerly of Iowa, have moved into the residence at 320 Cypress Ave., Pahokee, where they are making their home.

Darrell Davis and Miss Dona Register of Melbourne visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Davis in Pahokee over the weekend.

S-Sgt. Danny Mullis left Tuesday to report for duty at Keesler Air Force Base, Biloxi, Miss., after spending a 10-day leave with relatives and friends here.

Lt. and Mrs. J. Damron have returned to Orlando after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Kledzik in Pahokee.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hurt had as guests Sunday his sister, Mrs. C. T. Kendrick and daughter, and his nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Keller and Debbie, all of Fort Lauderdale; also his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hurt of Nocatee, and his nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Earl Hurt of Lakeland.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. White were Mr. and Mrs. Tal Corbett and son, Randy, of W. Hollywood, Mrs. Ben Corbett and daughters, Joann and Brenda, of Okeechobee, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Corbett and children, Linda, Shirley and Gary and Mr. and Mrs. Henry F. Corbett of Sebring.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Harrington and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Billie Jernigan in Sebring Sunday. Larry, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Jernigan, was christened in the First Methodist Church there.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bordeaux, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Sears and Mr. and

Mrs. James Miller attended the Passion Play at the Lake Wales Amphitheatre Sunday night.

Miss Carolyn Scruggs has returned to her home in Canal Point from Jacksonville and is now employed in the offices of the Lake Okeechobee Farmers Cooperative.

Woman's Club Has Slate Of Officers

A new slate of officers for the Pahokee Woman's Club was recommended by the nominating committee at the regular luncheon meeting of the club.

The committee recommended for president the re-election of Mrs. James H. Wilson; for the first vice president, Mrs. Lewis Friend; second vice president, Mrs. Duke Tucker; recording secretary, Mrs. William Plumer; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Claud Morgan; treasurer, Mrs. M. I. Keen; auditor, Mrs. J. A. Dulaney; parliamentarian, Mrs. R. J. Schroder. The names of these candidates will be posted on the club's bulletin board before the annual election takes place.

Mrs. R. J. Schroder, international relations chairman, introduced as guest speaker Clyde A. Canipe, principal of Pahokee Schools, who gave a talk on "The Present Status of International Relations."

Public Welfare Is Aid To Many

Thomas E. Penick, chairman of District Board 10 of the State Department of Public Welfare, reported that in Palm Beach County 4,037 persons were assisted in the four categories of public assistance for the month of March.

A total of 1,583 persons received Old Age Assistance in the amount of \$75,810,000. 77 persons received Aid to the Blind, totaling \$4,127.50, 569 families, representing 1,813 children, received Aid to Dependent Children in the amount of \$34,153.50. 81 persons received Aid to the Disabled in the amount of \$4,121.00.

In addition 145 children received service during the month, 59 of whom were in foster homes. Service was also given to three run-away children. The total State and local cost for these child welfare services was \$2,738.38.

There were 6 adoption petitions studied for the Circuit Court. These are children placed in homes independent of service through a licensed child placement agency, and the Welfare Board is responsible according to law to make these reports to the court.

In addition to Mr. Penick, Palm Beach County is represented on the District 10 Welfare Board by Mrs. Doris Sasser, Pahokee; Mrs. Muriel Hirsch Pick, Palm Beach; Mrs. Helen R. Tedder and Mrs. Helen D. Woodward, West Palm Beach.

ATTEND CONVENTION

The National Convention of Garden Clubs is in convention in Miami this week and the clubs in the Glades entertained at a luncheon on Wednesday. Attending from the Pahokee and Canal Point area were: Mrs. H. M. McIntosh, Mrs. F. M. Shaughnessy, Mrs. Lloyd Hundley, Mrs. J. S. Chastain, Mrs. J. T. Platt, Mrs. Claude Shirley, Mrs. John Pickett, Mrs. O. H. Chastain, Mrs. M. C. Carter and Mrs. A. R. Chastain.

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JACKSONVILLE — Charles R. Bordeaux, chief aviation electrician mate, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bordeaux of Canal Point, and husband of the former Miss Mireille Deroche of Agadir, Morocco, is serving with Airborne Early Warning Squadron 4 at the Naval Air Station, Jacksonville, Fla.

Bordeaux reported to Jacksonville March 13 from Atlantic City, N. J. Before entering the service in March 1944, he graduated from Pahokee High School.

CLASSIFIED ADS PAY

Mrs. Pope Sears President WSCS

Mrs. Pope Sears was elected president of the Canal Point Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service at the April meeting held at the home of Mrs. Harlan Sears Tuesday night with Mrs. F. M. Wilson, retiring president, presiding.

Other new officers elected were Mrs. W. E. Johnson, vice president; Mrs. W. K. Buchanan, secretary; Mrs. F. M. Wilson, treasurer; Mrs. Elmer Maxson, secretary of Promotion; Mrs. J. P. Parker, missionary education; Mrs. A. R. Harrington, Christian social relations and local church work; Mrs. Harlan Sears, student work; Mrs. Leonard Maxson, youth work; Mrs. Earl Maxson, children's work; Mrs. C. L. Stutart, spiritual life; Mrs. J. W. Repper, literature and publications; Mrs. James Miller, supplies, and Mrs. Osceola Upthegrove, status of women.

A program entitled "Airplane Island Tours" was presented by Mrs. J. P. Parker, assisted by Mrs. Earl Maxson, Mrs. W. K. Buchanan and Mrs. A. R. Harrington.

HICKY BOY PULLING CORN ON HIGH MARKET

Fred T. (Hicky Boy) Hickerson, who has been under the weather for a couple of months on account of a leg amputation, was back in the harness Thursday of this week. At the local post office he was driving his own car and attending business in routine manner. He was discussing—not the fact that he had been laid up—but the fact that on Friday he would have some corn ready to harvest on what looks like a rather high market—about \$3.50 per bushel. He said that his condition is steadily improving.



Sheriff John Kirk Is Now Grandpa

Sheriff John Kirk of West Palm Beach became Grandpa on Wednesday morning, April 3, when Mr. and Mrs. John Kirk, Jr., announced the arrival of a son at Good Samaritan Hospital. Mrs. Wade Ammons of Canal Point is a great-aunt of the young lawman. Sheriff and Mrs. Kirk are former residents of the Glades, having been residents of Belle Glade when he was elected to the sheriff's office in 1944. The new arrival has been named John F. Kirk III.



Mr. and Mrs. Claude L. Shirley, Jr., (Shirley Ann Watson) of Pahokee announce the birth of a daughter, Leigh Ann, at the Everglades Memorial Hospital, March 29.

Motor Boats To Be Motor Vehicles

MAMI — Greater control over boating accidents will result from the passage of a bill, designating motor boats as motor vehicles, to be introduced in the Legislature, according to H. Marshall Oliver, legislative committee chairman of the Marine Industries Association of Miami.

State registration will make it easier to identify and locate boats that damage property or endanger lives, as well as making theft more difficult, he said. Boat owners also will secure savings through elimination of both sales and personal property taxes under the bill which is endorsed by the Marine Council of the Miami-Dade Chamber of Commerce and other organizations.

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So don't let down payments get you down. Meet your needs for ready cash the way more than 8 million other Americans are meeting theirs—join the Payroll Savings Plan today. Or, if you're self-employed, invest in Bonds regularly where you bank. Start now to make your dreams come true!

If you desire your interest as current income, ask your bank about Serial 'H' Bonds, which pay dividends monthly by Treasury check.



Choose your own savings goal

	If you want approximately		
	\$5,000	\$10,000	\$25,000
Each week for 9 years and 6 months, approximately.....	\$2.00	\$10.75	\$40.00
Each week for 19 years and 6 months, approximately.....	\$3.75	\$7.50	\$10.75

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First Methodist Church, Pahokee

Rev. Wayne Owens

SUNDAY:
9:45 a. m.—Church School
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
6:45 p. m. MYF
7:45 p. m.—Evening Worship
TUESDAY:
7:00 p. m.—Vesper Choir practice
WEDNESDAY:
7:45 p. m.—Mid-week devotions
8:30 p. m.—Senior Choir practice

The Church Of God Of Prophecy

Canal Point Road
John H. Kinard, pastor

10:00 a. m.—Sunday School
11:00 a. m.—Preaching Service
7:45 p. m.—Evangelistic Service
8:00 p. m. Tuesday—V. L. B.
8:00 p. m. Thursday—W. M. B.
Everyone welcome. Special music and singing.

First Baptist Church, Pahokee

Rev. James E. Boyd, pastor

SUNDAY SERVICES:
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
6:30 p. m.—Training Union
7:45 p. m.—Evening Worship

Christian Science Group Of Canal Point

The supremacy and allness of God, Spirit, will be emphasized at Christian Science services Sunday. Scriptural selections to be read in the Lesson-Sermon entitled "Unreality" include the following from Exodus (20:2,3): "I am the Lord thy God, which have brought thee, out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of bondage. Thou shalt have no other gods before me."

From "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy the following passage will be read (200:4): "Moses advanced a nation to the worship of God in Spirit instead of matter, and illustrated the grand human capacities of being bestowed by immortal Mind."
"The Golden Text is from Ecclesiastes (5:7): "In the multitude of dreams and many words there are also divers vanities: but fear thou God."

PAHOKEE PTA POSTPONED

The regularly scheduled meeting of the Pahokee PTA which was to have been held on April 8, has been postponed until April 15.

NOTICE UNDER FICTITIOUS NAME LAW

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, pursuant to the "Fictitious Name Statute," House Bill No. 1175 Chapter No. 20953, Laws of Florida 1941, and House Bill 1102, Chapter 26760, 1951, amending 865.09(3) will register with the Clerk of the Circuit Court, in and for Palm Beach County Florida, upon receipt of proof of the undersigned, pursuant to the "fictitious name," to wit: CRICFIELD ELECTRIC, under which we are engaged in business at South Bay, Florida, in the County of Palm Beach, State of Florida.

That the parties interested in said business enterprise are: Mr. (and or) Mrs. C. E. Crichfield.
Dated at South Bay, Palm Beach County, Florida, this the 2nd day of April, 1957, A. D.

CRICFIELD ELECTRIC
Mr. (and or) Mrs. C. E. Crichfield, Owners and Operators, South Bay, Florida.

The Methodist Church Canal Point, Florida

Rev. L. A. Sparks

SUNDAY:
10:00 a. m.—Church School
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
6:30 p. m.—Youth Fellowship
7:30 p. m.—Evening Worship
TUESDAYS:
7:30 p. m.—Youth Choir Practice
7:30 p. m.—Woman's Society 1st and 3rd Tuesdays
2nd MONDAY:
7:30 p. m.—Esther Class Meeting

Church Of God

(Barfield Highway)

9:45 A. M.—Sunday School
11:00 A. M.—Morning Worship
7:00 P. M.—L. W. W. B. (Parsonage)
7:30 P. M.—Evening Worship
7:30 P. M. Tuesday—Prayer Meeting
7:00 P. M. Friday—Children's Church
7:30 P. M. Friday—Y. P. E.

St. Mary's Catholic Church

Rev. Father C. C. Anderson

SUNDAY MASSES:
First and Second Sunday 11 a. m.
All Other Sundays, 8 a. m.

St. Peter's Lutheran Church

Erwin J. Baumgartner, Pastor
601 W. Lake Rd., Belle Glade

SUNDAY:
Divine Services 11 A. M.
School 9:45 A. M.

Mrs. White Heads Sorority Group

Mrs. Lois White was elected president of the Beta Omicron Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, at the annual election of officers held at a recent meeting in the Woman's Club building.

Other new officers elected were Mrs. Hugh Branch, vice president; Mrs. Paul Tillery, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Ralph Johnson, recording secretary, and Mrs. Gene Waits, treasurer.
Mrs. Ray Hutton, Mrs. R. C. Lane, Mrs. C. L. Shirley, Jr. and Mrs. Milton Salvatore, chapter rushers, received the pledge rituals. Exemplar degree were conferred on Mrs. C. D. Wilkinson, Mrs. C. S. Davis and Mrs. Harold Wilkinson, with Mrs. Ruth Wedgworth of Belle Glade, international honorary member of the sorority, officiating.

Mrs. Friend Heads Sorority Chapter

Members of the Xi Alpha Mu Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, elected officers for the coming year at a meeting at the home of Mrs. George H. Tucker, Jr.

Mrs. Lewis Friend was re-elected president; Mrs. W. D. Howard, vice president; Mrs. N. A. Kennedy, recording secretary, and Mrs. O. H. Chastain, corresponding secretary. Mrs. W. S. Plumer was elected treasurer.

The group completed plans for the sponsorship of a benefit fashion show to be held in the social hall of the Elks Club April 5, proceeds to go to the Pahokee Youth Center Fund. Mrs. Earl Crossman is chairman of the committee in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. R. R. Long, social chairman, was asked to have charge of the dance for teenagers which will follow the fashion show.

The Pahokee Church Of The Nazarene

71 Bacom Point Road

Charles F. Crawford, Pastor
Phone 7528 P. O. Box 882
SUNDAY SERVICES:
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School
11:00 a. m.—Sunday Worship
6:30 p. m.—Juniors
7:00 p. m.—Sunday Evening Evangelistic Service.
WEDNESDAY:
7:30 p. m.—Midweek Prayer meeting.
"Where you are a stranger but once"

Canal Point Baptist Church

Rev. Charles D. Stewart, Pastor

SUNDAY:
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
7:00 p. m.—Training Union
8:00 p. m.—Evening Worship
WEDNESDAY:
7:30 p. m.—Prayer Meeting

Holy Nativity Episcopal Church

M. Wendell Hainlin, Vicar

SUNDAY
11 a. m.—Sunday School
1 a. m.—Worship Service.

Installation Is Planned By Lions

Pahokee Lions at their Tuesday luncheon meeting discussed plans to join the Canal Point and Okeechobee Clubs in a joint installation ceremony at Okeechobee after the new officers of all three clubs are elected.

Nominations for candidates to club offices were received from the floor. Clyde A. Canipe and Edward A. Jensen were nominated as candidates for the office of treasurer, this being the only addition to the slate of officers recommended by the nominating committee last week.

Robert B. Simonson, program chairman, introduced A. J. Gamot who told about the trip he made to his native France last summer.

INVITATION FOR BIDS

The Pahokee Housing Authority, Inc. will receive bids for the construction and landscaping of Low-Rent Housing Projects Fla-21-1 and Fla-21-2 at Pahokee, Florida for the Pahokee Housing Authority, Inc. assisted by the Housing and Home Finance Administration. Fla-21-1 consists of 20 duplex residential buildings, Administration building, sewage, water and electric utility lines, streets and paving, landscaping, and other on site improvements. Fla-21-2 consists of 21 duplex and 1 single residential buildings, Storage building, sewage, water and electric utility lines, streets and paving, landscaping and other on site improvements. Bids will be received until 3:00 p. m. on the 25th day of April, 1957, at the office of the Pahokee Housing Authority, Pahokee, Florida.

Copies of the documents may be obtained by depositing \$50.00 with the Pahokee Housing Authority, Inc. for each set of documents so obtained. Such deposit will be refunded to each person who returns the plans, specifications and other documents in good condition within 10 days after bid opening.

In addition, copies of plans and specifications will be on file in the Dodge Plan Room in West Palm Beach, Fort Lauderdale and Miami, Florida.

A certified check or cash deposit payable to the Pahokee Housing Authority, Inc., U. S. Government Bonds, or a satisfactory Bid Bond, extended by the bidder and acceptable sureties in an amount equal to five percent (5%) of the bid shall be submitted with each bid.

The successful bidder will be required to furnish and pay for satisfactory performance and payment bond or bonds.

Attention is called to the fact that not less than the minimum salaries and wages set forth in the Specifications must be paid on this project.

The Pahokee Housing Authority reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any informalities in the bidding.

No bid shall be withdrawn for a period of thirty (30) days subsequent to the opening of bids without the consent of the Pahokee Housing Authority.

PAHOKEE HOUSING AUTHORITY, INC.
By Leonid Dobrow, Chairman
Date 28 March, 1957
Pub: 28 March, 29 April 5, 1957.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA, IN AND FOR PALM BEACH COUNTY.

IN CHANCERY NO. 35,856-B

BILLY JOE ALEXANDER, Plaintiff,

-vs- LILLIAN ALEXANDER, Defendant.

NOTICE OF SUIT

TO LILLIAN ALEXANDER, 8 ANDREWS STREET, GREENVILLE, SOUTH CAROLINA:

You are hereby notified that Billy Joe Alexander has filed a Bill of Complaint against you for divorce, and you are required to serve a copy of your answer to the complaint on the plaintiff's Attorney, Thaddeus P. Plant, P. O. Box 385, Pahokee, Florida, and file the original answer in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Palm Beach County, Florida, on or before the 22nd day of April, 1957; if you fail to do, judgment by default will be taken against you for the relief demanded in the complaint.

DATED this 14th day of March, A. D. 1957.

J. ALEX ARNETTE, Clerk of Circuit Court

(Circuit Court Seal)

By Thaddeus P. Plant, Deputy Clerk

Pub. Mar. 22, 29, and April 5, 12, 1957.

Thaddeus P. Plant, Attorney for Plaintiff

P. O. Box 385, Pahokee, Florida

PUBLIC NOTICE

THIS IS PUBLIC NOTICE that the City of Pahokee, Florida will receive sealed bids for the purchase of the following material to be used in the Pahokee Water Works:

1. 60" of 6" Mechanical Joint Cast Iron Pipe.
2. One 6" Plug with 2" threaded hole.
3. One 6" plug plain.
4. One 6" Tee.

Bids must be received by the City Clerk not later than 8:00 O'clock P. M. April 8th, 1957 clearly marked on the outside WATER WORKS PIPE BID and sealed, at which time bidding will close. The City reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

PATRICIA S. BATCHELOR, CITY CLERK

(CITY CLERK)

Pub.: March 29th and April 5th, 1957.

CLASSIFIED ADS PAY BIG DIVIDENDS

PUBLIC NOTICE

THIS IS PUBLIC NOTICE that the City of Pahokee, Florida will receive sealed bids for the sale of a 1950 model 6 cyl. G. M. C. Fire Truck build by the America La-France Company. This truck has a 20 gallon booster tank with a 500 gallon rotary pump. Has 3 joints of 4" hard suction hose, 15' of soft suction hose and a booster hose reel of 150' of 1" soft suction hose. Also has two 2 1/2 gallon fire extinguishers. Truck is available for inspection at the Pahokee City Hall.

Bids must be received by the City Clerk not later than 8:00 O'clock P. M. April 8th, 1957 clearly marked on the outside FIRE TRUCK BID and sealed, at which time bidding will close. TERMS MUST BE CASH, and the city reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

PATRICIA S. BATCHELOR, CITY CLERK

Pub.: March 29th and April 5th, 1957.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA, IN AND FOR PALM BEACH COUNTY.

IN CHANCERY NO. 35,822-C

MAE C. JELINEK, Plaintiff,

-vs- ALEXANDER F. JELINEK, Defendant.

NOTICE TO DEFEND

To: Alexander F. Jelinek

Town of New Prague

Scott County

Minnesota

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that

a Complaint for Divorce has been filed against you by the plaintiff in the above cause, and you are required to file your written defense thereto and serve a copy of same upon Fisher, Dickinson & Prior 1101 Harvey Building, West Palm Beach, Florida, Attorneys for Plaintiff, on or before April 15th, 1957, otherwise said Complaint will be taken as confessed by you.

Given under my hand and the seal of the above Court, this 7th day of March, 1957.

J. ALEX ARNETTE, Clerk of the Circuit Court, Palm Beach County, Florida

By Thaddeus P. Plant, Deputy Clerk

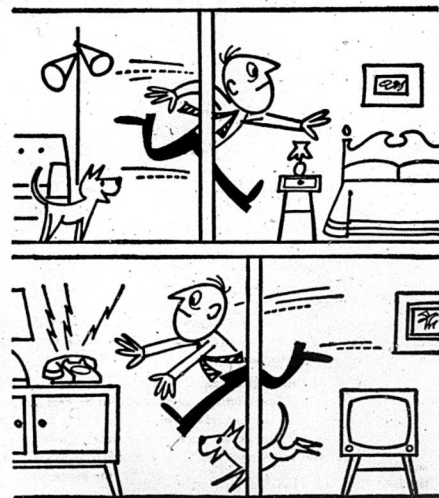
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FISHER, DICKINSON & PRIOR, Attorneys for Plaintiff

1101 Harvey Building, West Palm Beach, Florida

Pub.: March 15, 21st, 28th and April 4th

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The Bond you got for \$18.75 can now pay you \$33.67 . . . a \$37.50 Bond will be worth \$67.34 . . . and so on.

Of course, any Series E Bond may still be redeemed at any time after you have held it for two months. But, like any other form of saving, your Bonds will mean a great deal

more to you if you can hold on to them.

Are you one of the millions of Americans who are saving regularly with Savings Bonds through the Payroll Savings Plan? If you're not, why not start now? Invest regularly in Bonds through the Payroll Savings Plan where you work. Ask your pay office to save as little as 25c a week for you, or as much as you are able.

If you can save just \$5 a week regularly through the Plan, in five years you will have \$1,367.90 . . . in 9 years and 8 months, you'll have \$2,850.70 . . . and in 19 years and 8 months, \$6,872.45! This Plan is one sure way to save because it saves something out of every check *before* you have a chance to spend it.

So join the Payroll Savings Plan where you work today. Or, if you are self-employed, start the Bond-A-Month Plan where you bank. It's safe, it's sure, it's automatic. And you will be helping yourself and your country!

**If you want to be paid
your interest as current income—
invest in 3% Series H**

If you want a good, sound investment which pays you your interest by check every six months, ask at your bank about United States Government Series H Bonds. Series H is a new current income Bond available in denominations of \$500 to \$10,000. Redeemable at par after 6 months and on 30 days' notice. Matures in 9 years and 8 months and pays an average 3% interest per annum if held to maturity. Interest paid semiannually by Treasury check. Series H may be purchased at any bank, annual limit \$20,000.

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PTA Elects Mrs.—

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kee PTA, will serve as instructor of this course. For a PTA group to receive unit evaluation credit for these courses five members must complete the study requirements.

Osceola Upthegrove, who represents PTA on the Youth Center Council, reported various civic groups are planning fund-raising projects for the benefit of the center. Mrs. O. H. Sheppard gave the luncheon room report and Mrs. J. P. Pipkins read the State president's message.

On the program Mrs. P. T. Wells of West Palm Beach, PTA County Council president, explained the work being done by the Council and introduced Mrs. Ed Kuenzler, newly elected first vice president of the Council, who was also a guest.

Hostesses during the serving of refreshments after the meeting were Mrs. Earl Maxson and Mrs. J. P. Parker.

George Clingan was a business visitor in Winter Haven this week.

New Civic Building —

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It was decided to extend the chamber-sponsored Black Bass Contest over a longer period of time this summer than in previous years, the dates to be announced later.

It was voted to have the chamber designate the month of May as church attendance month in Pahokee.

Adopted at the meeting was the chamber budget for the 1957-58 fiscal year, totaling \$5,799.20. It was explained that the increase in the budget, approximately \$600 above that of last year, was made to cover the extra expenses for making up the new brochures and for a larger Fourth of July program being planned for this year.

Carports, breezeways or garages can be turned into window-walled rooms quickly by enclosing them with double-panel insulating glass, according to H. Creston Doner, director of design for Libbey-Owens-Ford Glass Co.

American Indian —

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Harry Cunningham, John Pell, Lonnie Phillips and Michael Sanders. Bobby Shackford, Billy McKinstry and David Larrimore each received both a gold and a silver arrow.

Den I won both the good conduct and honor awards for the month and Den III, the achievement plaque.

It was announced the April study course and workshop will be based on the adventure of the Swiss Family Robinson.

TURNPIKE BUSES.

TALLAHASSEE — Authority was granted Florida Greyhound Lines to extend its passenger and express operations over the new Sunshine Turnpike between Miami and Fort Pierce by the Florida Railroad and Public Utilities Commission. The Greyhound lines will pay required tolls for this operation.

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Florida Citrus Mutual dedicated its new auditorium in honor of A. B. Michael of Wabasso, "dean" of the Florida citrus industry. The late Perry E. Murray, former Mutual president was also honored.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Martin visited Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Tice and family in Winter Haven over the weekend.

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ENTER THE BIG M DREAM CAR CONTEST—TODAY!

90 free Mercurys—6 Turnpike Cruisers, 60 Montereys,
24 Station Wagons! \$450,000 in prizes! A new contest every week!*

Enter every week! Win America's fastest growing car!

**EASY TO ENTER—
EASY TO WIN!
HERE'S ALL YOU DO:**

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2. Pick up official rules and entry blank.
3. Complete the last line of Mercury dream-car rhyme.
4. Mail official entry blank to "Mercury Contest."

**FIRST PRIZE**

Mercury 4-door Turnpike Cruiser—one each week. Plus trip to New York for two, with transportation by American Airlines DC-7 Flagship. Special guests of Ed Sullivan at his television show.

NEXT 50 PRIZES

General Electric "Companion" TV sets—50 each week. Portable, weighs only 26 pounds! Performs with console clarity. Retail value \$129.95.

**NEXT 4 PRIZES**

Mercury Commuter 2-door, 6-passenger Station Wagons—4 each week. New BIG M wagons are the most luxurious and easiest riding ever built. Everything is totally new.

NEXT 300 PRIZES

Sheaffer's White Dot Snorkel Pen Sets—autographed by Ed Sullivan—300 each week. The world's finest writing instrument. Retail value \$22.75.

**NEXT 10 PRIZES**

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(See official contest rules)

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